



ATLANTA
404•653•6400
PALO ALTO
650•849•6600

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT & DUNNER, L. L. P.

1300 I STREET, N. W.
WASHINGTON, DC 20005-3315

202 • 408 • 4000
FACSIMILE 202 • 408 • 4400

WRITER'S DIRECT DIAL NUMBER:



TOKYO
011•813•3431•6943
BRUSSELS
011•322•646•0353

December 28, 2000

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 05725.0832-00000

BOX PATENT APPLICATION
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: New U.S. Patent Application
Title: COMPOSITION COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE HETERO POLYMER
AND AT LEAST ONE PASTY FATTY SUBSTANCE AND METHODS FOR
USE
Inventors: **Véronique FERRARI** - 12, Rue Victor Hugo
94700 MAISONS-ALFORT, FRANCE
Véronique JACQUES - 58 rue de la vallée aux renards
94240 L'HAY LES ROSES, FRANCE

Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application - 72 pages, including title page and abstract, and including 17 independent claims and 287 claims total.
2. Claim for Priority/Certified copy of French Patent Application No. 99 16588, filed December 28, 1999.
3. A check for \$6,636.00, representing a \$710.00 filing fee and \$5,926.00 for additional claims.

This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) and (f). Applicants await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the executed Declaration.

Please accord this application a serial number and filing date.

09749036 122800

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

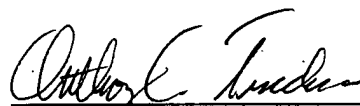
December 28, 2000

Page 2

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,
GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

By: 
Anthony C. Tridico
Reg. No. 45,958

ACT/JKM

Enclosures

003221 9E067260

UNITED STATES PATENT APPLICATION

of

Véronique Ferrari and Véronique Jacques

FOR

**COMPOSITION COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE HETERO POLYMER AND AT LEAST
ONE PASTY FATTY SUBSTANCE AND METHODS FOR USE**

00822T 9E054250